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DIES AT BETHEL

Mrs. T. S. Robertson died at her home in Bethel Friday morning at seven o'clock after a long illness. Deceased was a member of the Christian church and had been since early childhood and the example she set has been reflected in the lives of many with whom she came in contact. Although she had not been strong for several years, yet she was ever ready to assist those in sorrow or distress and her kindly ministrations will ever live in the memory of her friends. She is survived by her husband, two sons, Scott and Harold, and one daughter, Lila Ruth, and many other relatives. Funeral services and burial were held Saturday afternoon. To the grief stricken family we tender our sympathy.

—W. S. S.—

BOYS' DECLAMATORY CONTEST

Arrangements are being made for the Boys' Annual Declamatory Contest, which will be held in the High School Auditorium on March 1st. There will be six contestants, three from each society, namely the Cawein and Halleck. A first prize of ten dollars and a second prize of two dollars and a half will be awarded to the two winners. A great deal of enthusiasm is being worked up and this promises to be one of the warmest and most interesting of all ever held here in the High School.

—W. S. S.—

RESIGNS, POSITION

After more than twenty years service in the mechanical department of the Mt. Sterling Advocate, Mr. C. B. Stephens has resigned his position, his resignation to take effect March 2nd. The management regrets very much his determination to leave but wishes him success and prosperity in any business he embarks in and being an honorable, conscientious gentleman we are sure he will succeed.

—W. S. S.—

TO ORGANIZE TO HELP

Miss Margaret Frost has received considerable literature regarding the organization of War Savings Societies and will be pleased to give some of this interesting matter to any one interested in the movement. Miss Frost is contemplating forming an organization to assist the Government in the War Savings Stamp campaign.

—W. S. S.—

Cameo Pin Lost.

Small Cameo pin, finder please return to this office and receive reward.

TRADERS BANK BADLY DAMAGED

Fire Discovered in Barber Shop Under Banking Institution Sunday Morning at Two O'clock.

Fire was discovered Sunday morning about two o'clock in the barber shop of G. B. Turner located in the basement of the Traders National Bank building. When discovered the fire had made considerable progress and it was a very hard matter to get same under control but the fire department did excellent work and managed to confine the blaze to one building although at one time it looked like several buildings would be destroyed. Loss on barber shop about \$600, partially covered by insurance. The building was damaged about \$5,000.00 to \$6,000.00, while the fixtures were practically ruined entailing a loss of from \$3,000.00 to \$4,000.00. Offices over the bank were damaged by smoke. Damages partially covered by insurance. No records of any kind were destroyed as they were in the vaults. The old Farmers National Bank building, corner Main and Bank streets, has been leased by the Traders National Bank and business was resumed there Monday morning. It is estimated that the loss will reach \$10,000.00. It is not known whether the bank will repair the building, which is a very old one, having been built in 1885, or will tear it down and build a new one. This is the first big fire this city has suffered for many months.

—W. S. S.—

SETH BOTTS SENT TO GEORGIA

The report that gained circulation last week that Seth Botts was a member of a body of troops sent from Camp Taylor to France proved to be a mistake as his parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. T. Botts, have received word that he is now stationed at Camp Forrest, in Georgia, near the Tennessee line.

—W. S. S.—

SECOND DRAFT IN APRIL

OR MAY, REPORT

While the War Department reiterates that no date has been definitely fixed for the calling of the second draft, outward indications seem to point to some time in April or May, at the least. The estimate is based on known preparations for equipping and housing the men.

—W. S. S.—

The Advocate for printing.

FARMS CHANGE HANDS

There has been much activity in lands and several farms have changed hands. W. E. Little sold his farm of 130 acres and handsome improvements, on the Grassy pike, known as Emerald Chief Stock Farm, at \$232.23 an acre to T. J. Ratliff, of Bath county; Rufus Hadden sold a small tract of land with improvements, near the Levee, to Robert Combs for \$1,700, and about 32 acres with improvements, on the Levee pike, known as the Bowen place, to Fred Rushford for a consideration of \$5,250. Clayton Ramsey sold to Luther Mason his farm of 102 acres and improvements, known as the McClure place, for a consideration of \$135 an acre. W. W. Quicksall sold his 55 1/4-acre unimproved farm on Grassy Lick pike, to A. B. Pieratt & Sons for a consideration of \$12,000. Much of this land is overflow bottom and is rich as Jersey cream. Demand for farms is the heaviest ever known, one real estate man refusing to sell about 120 acres with improvements for the high price of \$325 an acre. There is little land for rent at any price, but the county is full of lookers for that kind of property.

—W. S. S.—

WILL SOON HAVE TO GO

Miss Margaret Frost, Community Nurse in this city, but who has joined the Barrow Hospital Unit, will soon be called for service according to statements appearing in the daily press. The government has sent a representative to mobilize the men of the unit but has received no orders regarding the nurses, however it is thought that they will be called in a few weeks after the enlisted men enter training. Many prominent physicians of Kentucky are in the unit.

—W. S. S.—

ORDER QUICKLY FILLED

The ladies in charge of making bandages for the Red Cross Society received an order from headquarters a short time ago for 2,500 gauze sponges. The ladies immediately got busy and shipped the order in one week. This was a greater number than had ever been made in a month before and the ladies should be praised for their energy and patriotism. A total of 3603 bandages have been made and shipped this month.

—W. S. S.—

Buy early, get pick of our beautiful line of wash suits for boys. The Walsh Co.

—W. S. S.—

GOOD PRICES AT LIVERY SALE

At the sale of the stock and vehicles of the livery firm of John W. Wade & Son, held on Saturday, there was a large crowd and spirited bidding and the prices realized were good. One span of black horses sold at \$310, and other horses sold from \$80 to \$130 each. The large brick stable which was offered for sale was bid to \$3,200 and withdrawn.

—W. S. S.—

New Class.

Beginning March 1st I will start a small day class of stenography. Apply for terms and further information. Elizabeth Wyatt, Phone 114, Mt. Sterling, Ky.

—W. S. S.—

ROGERS' HOME SOLD

Mrs. T. F. Rogers, Sr., has sold her beautiful suburban home on the corner of High street and Antwerp avenue to Mr. J. T. Coons, of the county, and will give possession March 1st. The price paid was \$6,500.

—W. S. S.—

Notice of Sale.

The home of the late Mrs. Jennie McAlister on Holt avenue, Mt. Sterling, Ky., will be offered for sale at public auction on Saturday, March 2, 1918. C. G. McAlister, Agent.

BIG CROWD SEE SOLDIERS LEAVE

Montgomery and Menefee County Men Entrain Here Monday Afternoon for Camp Taylor.

Quite a large crowd of relatives and friends gathered at the depot in this city yesterday afternoon to see the Montgomery and Menefee county boys leave for Camp Taylor. Just prior to going to the depot they received instructions from the local board and were put in charge of Mr. Sidney J. Calk, one of their number. Rev. Clyde Darsie made a short talk and the boys were all in fine spirits when they left. Comfort bags were presented to both the Montgomery and Menefee county quota by the Council of National Defense, twelve of these bags were filled by the pupils of Mrs. Pearl B. Prewitt's school. The W. C. T. U. presented each with a comfort kit, and the Red Cross Society presented each with a warm sweater.

We do not believe a finer bunch of young men will be sent from any county in the State than those that are now representing this county in Uncle Sam's Army. All seemed glad of the opportunity of helping our government to make the world safe for democracy.

The following is a complete list of the Montgomery county boys:

Robert Seabee Nodley

James Pappas.

Sidney J. Calk

Ben. F. Hiler

Thomas R. Cravens

Nelson Willoughby

John White Trimble

Ernest W. Phelps

Clarence E. Palmeter

Ratliff P. Baird

Denman H. Duke

Phillip J. Hollearn

Sherman Lansdale

W. B. Smith

John H. Leach

Press Jackson

Edward Carpenter and Perry

Baker both volunteered and requested the local board to send them with this quota, which they did. Mr. R. H. Lane, who was in this quota but who had taken the training at the Officers' Reserve Camp at Fort Benjamin Harrison, was assigned to the Quartermaster's Department by the Washington authorities. Mr. Lane was to undergo his physical examination before a board of doctors at Washington last night and at the time of our going to press no report had been received from him.

—W. S. S.—

EVERETT EARP MARRIED

News has been received here announcing the marriage of Mr. Everett Earp, photographer, formerly of this city, to Miss Florence Summerville, of Huntington, W. Va., the ceremony being performed in New York City. Mr. Earp is in the school of military cinematography, Columbia University, in New York, having enlisted about six months ago. The bride is said to be a beautiful and popular young lady. Mr. Earp is a man of splendid character and has a host of friends here who join us in extending hearty congratulations.

—W. S. S.—

The Advocate for printing

—W. S. S.—

SELLS 10 ACRES

T. Foster Rogers, Real Estate Agent, sold a 10-acre tract with improvements of R. A. Berry on the Paris pike, to Mr. George Carter, possession to be given about March 10th, when Mr. Carter will move to the property.

—W. S. S.—

Buy now our beautiful wash suits for your boy. The Walsh Co. Agent.

REPORT THAT ROGER BAKER HAD BEEN FOUND MISTAKE

The report that Roger Baker, the Montgomery county boy who it is believed was drowned by the sinking of the transport Tuscania, had been found on an island with seven other boys is a mistake, as no word of his discovery has been received and it is believed beyond a doubt that he is among the lost.

The Advocate received the following telegram this morning at ten o'clock:

"Washington D. C., Feb. 26th.,

"Mt. Sterling Advocate,

"Mt. Sterling, Ky.

"Am advised by War Department that Roger Baker, of your county, is among the missing of the Tuscania. W. J. FIELDS."

—W. S. S.—

NEW BUSINESS CONCERN

Mr. John McCormick has sold a one-half interest in his clothing, hat and furnishing business to Mr. Chas. K. Oldham and the new firm will be known as McCormick & Oldham. Mr. Oldham was a member of the firm of Oldham Bros., for many years and knows the merchandise business thoroughly and has a wide acquaintance throughout this section. The stock will be greatly increased and every effort made to please the buying public. With two such widely known and popular men in charge this store will rapidly forge to the front in the business life of our city.

—W. S. S.—

MANAGER HATTON RESIGNS

Mr. Warren Hatton, local Manager of the Cumberland Telephone & Telegraph Company, has resigned his position and will move to the Ledford farm in this county, March 1st. Mr. Hatton has been connected with the telephone company in this city for the past ten years and has made an excellent manager. He has some oil lands in Eastern Kentucky and will spend a portion of his time in that section. As yet his successor has not been appointed.

—W. S. S.—

SELLS PROPERTY

T. Foster Rogers, real estate agent, sold the modern residence of Mr. A. G. Ratliff, on West High street, to Mr. S. W. Evans, of Bethel, Bath county. Possession to be given about March 15th. Mr. Evans will move with his family to the property.

—W. S. S.—

ALLEN PREWITT SELLS HOME

Mr. Allen G. Prewitt has sold his home on Clay street to Mrs. James H. Henry for a consideration of \$3,350. Possession will be given April 1st.

—W. S. S.—

Wanted—An incubator from 100 to 200 eggs. Perry Flora.

WILL RELIEVE CAR SHORTAGE

Estimated That a Million Pounds Has Been Sold Elsewhere on Account of Car Shortage.

A few minutes before going to press the following telegram was received:

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- * Mt. Sterling Advocate,
- * Mt. Sterling, Ky.
- * Through courtesies of Senator Beckham, Congressman Fields, and Commissioner McChord, the latter a very influential member of the Interstate Commerce Commission, I today heard the Chief Director of Emergency Car Service discuss at length, by long distance telephone the car shortage at Mt. Sterling with officials at the head office of the Chesapeake & Ohio Railway Company at Richmond, Virginia, and then was positively assured by him that relief would be given within seventy-two hours and sooner if it is possible to move the cars there; I have absolutely no doubt about the matter and feel sure this week will see the end of the congestion at our tobacco warehouses.

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EARL W. SENFF

Owing to the car shortage it is estimated that fully one million pounds of tobacco has been sold at other markets that would have been sold over the floors of our loose leaf warehouses. Every effort has been made to secure cars and at the suggestion of the warehousemen County Judge Earl W. Senff left Saturday night for Washington, D. C., in the hope that by laying the facts before the proper authorities he could secure relief in the car shortage. The warehouses now have over one thousand hogheads of tobacco ready for shipment and all floors are full and wagons are lined up waiting to be unloaded as soon as room can be provided.

The congestion is hurting our market very much and it will take at least 100 cars to relieve the situation.

The A. R. Robertson Tobacco Warehouse last week started hauling loaded hogheads to Lexington on auto trucks and in this manner have helped the situation some although that manner of moving tobacco is very expensive.

—W. S. S.—

Now you have a big bright collection of Boys' Wash Suits to select from. The Walsh Co.

—W. S. S.—

The man with the hoe is a back number. It's the man with the tractor and gang plow that this country is encouraging right now.

PROGRAM THE TABB THEATRE

Wm. B. Small, Manager

WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 27th.

The Sensational Photodrama
"HER HUSBAND'S WIFE" or "The Woman Lure"
This play features five stars including Mignon Anderson.
Also serial "Vengeance and the Woman"

THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 28th.

"FACE VALUE" presenting the adorable MAE MURRAY
Also Hearst-Pathe News

FRIDAY, MARCH 1st.

MAE MARSH in "THE CINDERELLA MAN"
Chicago Herald says: "Wonderful acting, photography and scenic equipment."
Also the continued play, "The Hidden Hand," with Doris Kenyon and four other stars

SATURDAY, MARCH 2nd.

CORINNE GRIFFITH in "I WILL REPAY"
A Vitagraph Blue Ribbon Feature
Also a Big V. Comedy

MONDAY, MARCH 4th.

DOROTHY PHILLIPS in "BROADWAY LOVE"
Depicting the bright lights of Broadway and the lure of the stage
Times-Star Series
Mutt and Jeff

TUESDAY, MARCH 5th.

Russian Art Films offer
IVAN MOZUKIN and TANYA FETNER in "THE PAINTED DOLL"

Matinees daily at 2:15, except Saturdays at 2:00 and 3:30;
Nights 7:15 and 9:00

Prices—Adults 15 cents; Children 10 cents

Program Subject to Change

THE LIBERTY THEATRE

(Formerly The Paramount)

Lewis A. Judy and Marvin N. Gay, Mgrs.

FRIDAY, MARCH 1st.

William Fox Presents

The Great Patriotic Drama

GLADYS BROCKWELL in "FOR LIBERTY"

N. B.—In order that all children may witness this great picture we are going to admit one child FREE with each paid admission. All we ask is that you pay the war tax of one cent. Be sure and see what our boys are fighting for—"For Liberty."

SATURDAY, MARCH 2nd.

A Great Treat for Everyone

The Screen's Most Popular and Highest Salaried Star

DOUGLAS FAIRBANKS in "A MODERN MUSKETEER"

We had the pleasure of seeing this picture in Cincinnati last week and wish to state that it is by far the best thing in which this popular star has ever appeared. The majority of the scenes were taken in The Grand Canyon, which makes it doubly interesting.

Also—Harold Lloyd or Lonesome Luke in a Comedy

Matinee Friday at 2:30; Saturday at 2:00 and 3:30

Prices 10 Cents to Everyone, including War Tax

PERSONAL PROPERTY AT PUBLIC SALE

Having sold my farm, I will sell at public auction, on the premises, 2 miles from Mt. Sterling, on the Grassy Lick pike, on

Wednesday, March 6th

at the hour of 9:30 a. m., without reserve or by-bid, the following:

10 Jersey Milch Cows
40 Yearling Steers
40 Ewes
Brood Sows and Shoats
150 Barrels Corn

Horses, Hules, Hay, etc.
Farm Implements and Household goods and other articles too numerous to mention.

Sale positive, rain or shine.

W. E. LITTLE MT. STERLING, KY.

WM. CRAVENS, Auctioneer.

W. HOFFMAN WOOD, Clerk.

BE GENUINE

What a great old world this would be if all the expressed sentiments of humanity were real, genuine, sure-enough what they profess to be. But Satan originated the art of deception back there in the infancy of the race, and he and his minions have industriously perpetuated it. His amazing success is due to his ability to, as the small boy would put it "appear what it ain't." We now call it camouflage.

Of all the various brands of human counterfeit, the demagogue camouflaged as a patriot is the most contemptible. Patriotism is a fine thing, a sacred thing, but a counterfeit patriotism is unspeakably disgusting. Yet we see it all about us. It mistakes noise for action and words for sentiment. Its omniscience is equal to solving the most knotty problems of the war. Its self-sacrifice is capable of any devotion—if the salary is sufficient. Its renunciation is beautiful until it is discovered that there is nothing to renounce. Its devotion to duty

is sublime until it is known that the person stands to gain much and lose not at all.

Every worthy cause of the human race is cursed with these flagrant imitation men and women. They ride every attempted reform to a disastrous fall if it is in their power. Reforms now in their infancy would be ancient history were it not for their baneful influence.

In the old American game of poker there is one practice known as bluffing which returns good results if successful put over. There is, however, a counter practice of "calling the bluff" that sometimes give amazing returns.

When you meet with one of these blatant patriots who only wants an opportunity to end the war, "call his hand."

PILES QUICKLY CURED BY PETRO-MENTA

If you are a sufferer from Piles try PETRO-MENTA today and find sure relief. 25 CENTS.
FOR SALE BY W. S. LLOYD

TRAIN TO FILL GOVERNMENT AND BUSINESS POSITIONS

All young men and young women desirous of advancement should write for the Catalogue and Booklet of the
SPENCERIAN COMMERCIAL SCHOOL
SPEED BUILDING (North of the Post Office) LOUISVILLE, KENTUCKY

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Commissioner's Sale

MONTGOMERY CIRCUIT COURT

Mike Curry, Committee, etc., Plffs.
Vs
Notice of Sale in Equity.
Robert Howell Defendant

By virtue of a judgment and order of sale of the Montgomery Circuit Court, rendered at the January Term, 1918, thereof, in the above cause, the undersigned will, on the 18th Day of March, 1918

at one o'clock, p. m., or thereabout, (being Court Day), proceed to offer for sale, at Public Auction, to the highest bidder, on a credit of six months, at the Court House door, in Mt. Sterling, Ky., the property mentioned in the judgment, to-wit:

Said land lies in Montgomery county, Ky., and is described thus:

On the Grassy Lick pike, about 2 miles west of Mt. Sterling, Ky., and bounded by beginning in the middle of the pike, corner with W. E. Sledd and running with pike N. 69 1/4 W. 18 poles; thence N. 54 1/4 W. 8 poles; thence N. 22 1/4 W. 9 poles; thence N. 72 1/4 W. 59.1 poles corner with Lewis Kelly; thence leaving pike S. 12 1/4 W. 19.6 poles to stone corner with Lewis Kelly; thence N. 74 1/4 W. 18.5 poles to post corner with Lewis Kelly in McGuire's line; thence with McGuire's line S. 1 1/4 E. 4 poles; thence S. 8 W. 62.8 poles, corner with Robt. Howell; thence S. 81 1/4 E. 116 poles corner with W. E. Sledd in Robt. Howell's line; thence N. 1/2 W. 62.8 poles to the beginning, containing 50.1 acres of land, exclusive of lane 62.8 poles long and twenty feet wide. Title to said land was obtained by plaintiffs Hattie Moberley and Mary Garrison Hewlett under will of their father, W. H. Garrison, deceased, of date July 23, 1896, and of record in Will Book G, page 420, Montgomery County Court Clerk's office, and by Robt. Howell by deed from Albert Garrison, etc., of date December 24, 1917, and of record in Deed Book 69, page 349, same office.

The purchaser will be required to give bond with approved security for the payment of the purchase money, to have the force and effect of replevin bond, bearing legal interest from the day of sale, according to law. Bidders will be prepared to comply with these terms. A lien will be retained on the land sold till all the purchase money is paid. Bonds payable to undersigned.

W. E. JONES,
35-3t Master Commissioner M. C. C.

INEQUALITY OF PRICES

In this era of high prices it behooves every purchaser of life to give the matter his or her best thought. Perhaps no other one feature of the times stands out in bolder relief than the great inequality in the prices of commodities. It is no uncommon experience for a shopper to price an article at one place, then go to another place and find the price of the same article either higher or much lower. There seems, in fact, to be no established values left, but in many instances the dealer is "out for all the public will stand for."

Doubtless the uncertainty of procuring supplies, coupled with the interruption of transportation, has something to do with causing these conditions. More often, however, it is the innate avarice of the human heart seizing a favorable opportunity.

These are days when the person who must purchase the necessities of life should exercise to the full his or her shopping ability. Do not be in a hurry to accept the first article shown, regardless of the price. We would not advise buying inferior goods, but many times a substantial saving may be effected by a visit to a number of stores. Before buying such items as shoes, clothing, and such things, one should have a fair idea of the value of certain grades of these commodities, then refuse to be trimmed for fancy prices because of an alleged "scarcity." There is no shortage yet, at least not such as to warrant exorbitant prices.

—W. S. S.—

The Advocate for printing.

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When kept in good condition with BOURBON POLTRY REMEDY, a few drops in the drinking water keeps hens healthy and makes them lay. Cures and prevents roup, colds, sore head and other diseases. One 50-cent bottle makes 25 gallons of medicine.
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THE PHOTODRAMA

Stories, Notes and News Items
Concerning Film Stars and
"Movies" in General.

Edited by Harry W. Mills



MAE MURRAY
(Bluebird)

Beautiful and adorable Mae Murray, who comes to The Tab on Thursday, February 28th, in her latest Bluebird production, "Face Value," is by no means a stranger in Mt. Sterling, as many local fans remember her for her appearance in Paramount pictures, among them "To Have and to Hold" (Lasky) in which she played opposite Wallace Reid; "Sweet Kitty Bellairs" (Lasky); "The Dream Girl," with Earle Foxe as leading man, and others.

Last fall she severed her connections with the Paramount Corporation and joined Bluebird Pictures, her first picture for that company being "The Princess Virtue."

Mae Murray came to the motion picture camera from "Ziegfeld's Follies." Taken at her "Face Value" Mae Murray is worth considerable in personal beauty and loveliness, for with her gray-blue eyes and light blond hair and her 5 feet 3 inches and 115 pounds of adorable femininity, she is indeed a "dream girl."

Miss Murray was born in "Old Virginia"—Portsmouth, in 1888, and is unmarried.

Not a Dissenting Vote.

You didn't see "Womanhood," last Friday night? Well, you missed something great, sure!

"I Will Repay."

Have you ever seen a bad Vitagraph picture? No. All are good, and some are better than others. Manager Small of The Tab, in accordance with his policy of showing only masterpieces on Saturdays, has booked, one of the "better" kind, "I Will Repay," a Greater Vitagraph production, featuring Corinne Griffith, for next Saturday, March 2nd. The following from the Motion Picture Magazine tells of the merit of this Greater Vitagraph production:

"It is the human touch, the O. Henry story, that constitutes the charm of the creeping pastel of the Southland. Unlike the champagne variety of celluloid drama, this does not abound with thrilling punches. The momentary wine-like exhilaration is not there. The pulses do not beat at greater pressure, but after the last human picture has faded, one feels satisfied as only a cool draft of clear water can satisfy desert thirst. Mary Maurice as Azalea and Arthur Donaldson as her old slave Caesar, who gives his mistress every cent he can make by running his dilapidated hack, and who murders Major Caswell, the villainous, alcoholic husband of Azalea in order to free her from the Major's abuse, personify the quintessence of artistic realism. Corinne Griffith is very prettily pleasing as a young Southern girl, and George J. Forth, who furnishes the other half of the necessary romance, is sufficient unto his part."

According to a statement by the manager of the Emergency Fleet Corporation, the Shipping Board now has 716 shipways, of which 312 are for wooden ships and 404 for steel construction. The program calls for the construction in 1918 of eight times the tonnage delivered in 1916, at a cost of more than \$1,000,000,000.

—W. S. S.—

Barbers Wanted—House located on East High, nice rooms, good table. Prices reasonable.
31-1f Mrs. C. D. Pullins.

PUBLIC SALE

Having sold my farm I will offer for public sale on

Wednesday, Feb. 27th

beginning promptly at 10 a. m., at my old home place on the Quisenberry pike two miles from the Lane school house on the Owingsville pike, the following personal property:

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| 1 6-year-old Horse, lady broke | Digger, Shovel and Fork |
| 1 9-year-old Brood Mare in foal to Jack | 1 Hay Frame |
| 1 12-year-old Brood Mare in foal to Jack | 1 Rubber Tired Buggy |
| 1 5-year-old Mare, good driver | 1 Steel-tired Runabout |
| 1 Aged Mare, good worker | 1 Break Cart |
| 1 6-year-old Cow and Calf, big milker | 2 Sets Wagon Harness |
| 1 8-year-old Cow, fresh March 1st. | 1 Set Buggy Harness |
| 2 Yearling Heifers | 40 Chickens |
| 3 Brood Sows to farrow in March | 4 Stands of Bees, 7 Bee Hives |
| 3 80-pound Shoats | 1 Hog Box |
| 1 Deering Mower, 1 Hay Rake, | 1 Corn Shelter |
| 1 Sled, 1 Farm Wagon, new, 1 Drag | 25 Fence Posts |
| 2 Turning Plows No. 12 | 200 Feet Boxing Lumber |
| 2 Double-shovel Plows | 4 Bales Shingles |
| 5-tooth Cultivator | 4 Heating Stoves |
| 1 Single Shovel Plow | 40 Barrels Corn in Crib |
| 1 Disc Harrow, new | About 30 Shocks of Fodder |
| 2 Pond Scrapers | Household and kitchen furniture and many other articles too numerous to mention |

Terms made known on day of sale.

E. L. PAYNE

Wm. Cravens, Auctioneer.

IF PEACE SHOULD COME

Although it may be premature to speculate on the possibility of peace being consummated anyways soon, still the action of Russia, and added to this the utterances of Premier Lloyd-George and President Wilson, have set many people to wondering what would be the effect on this country should peace be declared.

This is a contingency we should be always ready to welcome. It can work only good to us, and not any harm. Those who pessimistically refer to "war profits" are short sighted indeed. The business of the United States is in no sense dependent on war profits. True much of the national energy is being put into war preparation, but when peace is declared this force will welcome the opportunity to transfer to the arts of peace. These have suffered neglect and are in great need of attention.

We could stand a falling off in prices of all commodities and be the better off. We could also benefit by an enlarged supply of everything that enters into the life and activities of the people. Surpluses in all lines have been swallowed up, and even with the world at peace, it would require years to reach the point where the surpluses would materially affect prices. This fact is our guarantee that for a long time to come the needs of the world will call for our utmost exertions, and at high prices.

The United States is not only the great creditor nation of the world, it is also the supply depot of the earth. All nations are now looking to us for the implements of peace

as well as war. The war has greatly enlarged the field of our custom, because we have taken the trade of many of the warring countries, whose every energy is devoted to war. It is a great mistake to suppose that all our energy is being expended on war activities. Our production and manufactures in the arts of peace are far greater today than ever before.

Peace, if it can be had with honor, will be welcomed by every soul in this country, because it will release for the beneficent service of mankind, forces that now are employed in the arts of destruction. It will take a generation for our greatest efforts to place us back where we were in 1914, as far as concerns the available supply of all the necessities of life.

Peace, with honor, is the prayer of every earnest soul in this country.

—W. S. S.—

The Advocate for printing.

—W. S. S.—

Mr. M. H. Lewis, who recently rented his farm on the Owingsville pike and sold his stock and farming implements, will move March 1st to this city with his family to reside.

There is more Catarrh in this section of the country than all other diseases put together, and until the last few years was supposed to be incurable. For a great many years doctors pronounced it a local disease and prescribed local remedies, and by constantly failing to cure with local treatment, pronounced it incurable. Science has proven Catarrh to be a constitutional disease, and therefore requires constitutional treatment. Hall's Catarrh Cure, manufactured by F. J. Cheney & Co., Toledo, Ohio, is the only Constitutional cure on the market. It is taken internally. It acts directly on the blood and mucous surfaces of the system. They offer one hundred dollars for any case it fails to cure. Send for circulars and testimonials.
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Take Hall's Family Pills for constipation.

RESIDENCE FOR SALE

The desirable residence property, belonging to the Barnes heirs and situated on West High street adjoining the property of Mr. W. S. Lloyd, is offered for sale privately. The residence contains five rooms, a nice bath room, kitchen and screened porches, is of brick structure and is modern in every particular. Has water, gas and electricity. There is a cistern on the porch. It is situated on a beautiful lot and is considered one of the most desirable pieces of property in this city. There is a large garden, with lots of fruit on the place. Any one desiring a nice little home, centrally located and modern in every particular, could not do better than buy this one. Interested parties will call on

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Mt. Sterling, Ky.

GOOD PRICES AT CECIL SALE

At the public sale of the personal property of John W. Cecil, good prices were realized. 1 pair Percheron mares brought \$230; driving pony, \$135; other horses from \$50 to \$100 each; milch cows from \$70 to \$90; four Chester White gilts, \$22 to \$27.59; red sow, \$43; four Poland China sows, \$30 to \$40 each; 12 white shoats, \$8 to \$10 each; corn, \$9.80 to \$10 per barrel; fodder, 65 cents per shock; Rhode Island cockerels, \$2.25 each. Mr. Cecil and family will move March 1 to Jessamine county.

—W. S. S.—

Tobacco Seed.

Buy the best tobacco seed on the market, Judy's Pride. Cleaned and tested by the Experiment Station at Lexington. None better. Can furnish any amount.

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Housework is hard enough when healthy. Every Mt. Sterling woman who is having backache, blue and nervous spells, dizzy headaches and kidney and bladder troubles, should be glad to heed this Mt. Sterling woman's experience:

Mrs. Jace Trimble, 3 Jamison St., says: "Doan's Kidney Pills helped me when my kidneys were out of order. I suffered with dull, nagging pains across my kidneys and I felt tired out and weak. I also had dizzy headaches and my kidneys acted irregularly. I used Doan's Kidney Pills and they rid me of the backaches and other signs of kidney trouble."

Price 60c, at all dealers. Don't simply ask for a kidney remedy—get Doan's Kidney Pills—the same that Mrs. Trimble had. Foster-Milburn Co., Mfgs., Buffalo, N. Y. (34-2t)

—W. S. S.—

Women with a fluent knowledge of French are being trained in several cities for work in France as telephone operators with the Expeditionary Forces. They will not be sent over in one unit, but ordered to go in groups from time to time. No information can be given as to the locality in which the telephone operators will be stationed.

—W. S. S.—

Stable for Rent.

Stable on Main street near Advocate office. See Pinney-Griggs Co. 24-tf

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So come in and buy what you want and we will hold it for you until you need it.

"BACK TO THE FARM" NOW A NECESSITY

In the working out of the farm problems the coming season the country is up against some stubborn facts. It is useless to blind our eyes to the situation—we are short of farm workers, and that at a time when even more are needed than at any time heretofore. The working of the selective draft may give some relief, but cannot entirely remedy matters. Even without the loss of the thousands of young men recently called, the farms have been short-handed for several years.

In this connection we would call attention to some facts that should interest us. It has been noted for some time that many farmers, after years of effective work on their farms, have left them and moved to the towns, leaving their lands in the care of tenants. This has been bad for the farms in many ways, particularly in that it deprived the lands of the care of men of experience and superior judgment, both so vitally necessary at this time.

These men are still in the towns, hundreds of them, thousands of them. While they may be a substantial factor of the town force, their presence is at this time most urgently demanded on the farms. Every farm in the land is crying out for the guiding hand and brain of its owner—the one person who should have the deepest interest in its success.

In this crisis of the nation's life, every owner of a farm who has left it—wherever possible without too great sacrifice—should return to the soil and give to it his best labor and thought. It is not merely the matter of his daily labors, though these would count largely in results. There is the more important fact of his experience and broader knowledge of farm problems. His hand at the helm would be an inspiration to the entire farm force and would count powerfully in the final results.

There could be no finer exhibition of patriotism than for the ex-farmers of the country, wherever and however situated, to return to the soil at least through the period of the war, when they could be of such untold aid to their country.

—W. S. S.—

SELLS HIS FARM

Mr. Clayton Ramsey, of this city, sold this week to Mr. Luther Mason his farm containing 102 acres, with improvements, known as the McClure place at Grassy Lick and will give possession March 1. The price paid was around \$135 per acre. Mr. Mason will move there to live.

—W. S. S.—

We Have For Sale

a large number of highly productive well located farms, ranging in size from fifty to four hundred acres in Oldham and adjoining counties, good plikes, interurban service to Louisville, excellent water and every convenience; land is adapted to orchard grass, alfalfa, blue grass, corn, wheat and clover, and is highly drought resistant. For particulars write or phone

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—W. S. S.—

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It Cod Liver and Beef Peptones, Iron and Manganese Peptones, Iron and Ammonium Citrate, Lime and Soda Glycophosphates, Cascara.

Any woman who buys a bottle of Vinol for a weak, run-down, nervous condition and finds after giving it a fair trial it did not help her, will have her money returned.

You see, there is no guess work about Vinol. Its formula proves there is nothing like it for all weak, run-down, overworked, nervous men and women and for feeble old people and delicate children. Try it once and be convinced.

W. S. Lloyd, Druggist, Mt. Sterling, Ky.

This Is That Wonderful Medicine

We Told You We Had Gone After and Secured the Exclusive Sale for in This Section

This picture shows the exact size of the bottle containing Vin Hepatica, the Universal System Purifier, which we told you last week we had secured the exclusive agency for, here—a medicine we stand back of because it is a real medicine prepared in one of the finest medical laboratories in the United States, with all the care and skill of a physician's prescription. We know what it is—know what it is made of. It is a combination of eight medicines extracted from the medicinal roots, herbs and berries of the woods and fields, whose healing and curative properties have been employed for centuries by the medical profession for kidney, liver, and stomach troubles, nervousness, sleeplessness, loss of appetite and run-down condition.

What Others Say.

Miss Ora Stewart, of 23 Irvine Apts., Nashville, Tenn., says: "Vin Hepatica has done wonders for me and I want to recommend it to everyone suffering as I did from loss of sleep and appetite, tired out feeling, sluggishness of liver, etc."

Mr. Claude M. Marshall, farmer, Davidson Co., Tenn., just out of Nashville, says, "If anyone ever was in a bad fix, I was, until I took Vin Hepatica. Work on the farm is very hard and the hours are long and while I had plenty to eat, the more I ate the worse I got. I would easily run out of breath. Vin Hepatica has enabled me to do my work with ease and pleasure and I can now eat anything I want."

George W. Kline, railroad conductor of Chester, Pa., writes: "For a long time I was a very sick man. I had gastritis, nervous indigestion, was constipated, had no appetite, could not sleep, felt dead tired all the time. Vin Hepatica benefited me from the very first dose. Now I feel better than I have felt for years."

Mrs. Wm. French, Marcus Hook, Pa., says: "For years I suffered severe stomach trouble until I was so weak and run down I could hardly do my household work. Had to rest in bed most of the time; could scarcely eat. Even the odor of cooking would upset my stomach. Vin Hepatica relieved me of all my troubles and I am bright, cheerful and very grateful for what it has done for me."

Rev. G. R. Harris, Route 11, West Nashville, 60 years minister of the gospel and four years Confederate veteran, states: "I had gone down in my entire system; had stiffening and soreness of the joints, hardly able to work at all. I took Vin Hepatica and am now doing a good day's work for a man of my age. Can heartily recommend Vin Hepatica as a wonderful medicine and Universal System Purifier. It has brought me back to health again."

L. F. Sweeney, well known West Nashville traveling man, writes, "Vin Hepatica cured me of indigestion, swimming in the head, bloating, etc. I am now as fit as a fiddle, sleep as soundly as baby and can eat anything."

G. M. Spencer, well known contractor and painter, of 613 Commerce St., Nashville, says: "I had sluggish feeling all the time; was languid. Some times my back seemed like it would break in two. What Vin Hepatica has done for me is nothing short of marvelous. There is health in every drop."

Mrs. Alma Norman, 25th and West End Ave., Nashville, said that she was on the verge of nervous prostration and the slightest noise would scare her almost out of her wits. She says effect of Vin Hepatica in her case is almost magical. "I am completely recovered. Thank goodness for the day Vin Hepatica was brought to my attention." Come in and let us tell you more about this truly wonderful medicine. It may be just the thing you need for your trouble.

W. S. LLOYD

Mt. Sterling, Ky.



Conservative citizens everywhere will deplore the attempt on the part of some of our misguided statesmen to reopen the party fights that have been our custom in years past. Nothing at this time could be worse for the country than a bitter political fight throughout the land. Every interest of the country demands unity of sentiment and action. Republican politicians could not hope for advantage except at the expense of great harm to their country, and such action on the part of Democrats could be nothing but suicidal.

Doubtless there have been mistakes made and blunders committed—what administration has been free from them? But these mistakes have not been such as to call for a political upheaval. We are not ready to admit to our enemy that our leaders have been unequal to the task required of them. If the malcontents will lay aside personal ambitions and put their shoulders to the wheel in an honest endeavor to achieve the great task before us, they will find their ambitions much surer of attainment than by instigating a fight that could have no other effect than to embarrass the administration.

If Republican leaders will take ex-Secretary Root's advice and forget that they have any political bias, and if the administration will remember that the patriotism of Republicans is just as deep and fervid as their own, we will win through to a glorious victory.

Nothing could give our enemy more comfort at this time than for Americans to revive old political contests and reopen old political sores.

—W. S. S.—

The Advocate for printing.

Just a few questions for the man whose "conscience" will not permit him to fight: Suppose Jesus Christ had been walking in Belgium when the Hun army broke across the border, and had seen soldiers plunge their bayonets through innocent children; had seen women and young girls treated as only beasts are capable of treating them; had seen the aged and infirm shot down without mercy and without provocation; had seen soldiers captured in what they supposed to be honorable warfare, crucified by their captors; had seen aviators deliberately search out hospitals and nurses' quarters for bombing—had he seen all this, would he have stood by unmoved and refused to lift his hand to right these dastardly wrongs? If that is your conception of Christ, you are right in your refusal to

fight, for if He were what you picture Him He would be as poor a specimen of humanity as yourself—and you are the limit.

—W. S. S.—

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—W. S. S.—

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SAVE FOOD FOR OUR FIGHTING MEN

Doctor Vernon Kellogg, of the United States Food Administration Bureau makes this appeal for the "Kitchen Card."

"We have saved some food during the last few months, the months since there has been a Food Administration. We have made a good beginning. But it is only a beginning. We must save more, not simply more in total, but more each month.

"We have already sent overseas for our army in France and the soldiers and civilians of our associates in this war all of our surplus wheat and meat and fats. But they need much more. We can keep on sending them what they need in only one way, and that is by lessening our own consumption of the food we have on hand and are constantly reducing. We need to reduce our consumption of wheat by one-third and of fats and meat by one-fifth. Doing this will not injure us in the least, for we are now eating much more meat and fats than we need and we can easily use corn and other cereals to a considerable extent in place of wheat. So, beginning right now, the Food Administration asks the American people to save more food than they have been saving, by faithfully following the new program outlined in the Home Card of 1918.

"Not all of our people can eat less than they now eat, for many are unable to buy more food than they actually need. But if all who CAN save WILL save there will be enough for all of us, our associates in this war, friendly neutrals and ourselves.

"Do not hoard foods, for the Government will keep in this country enough of every essential kind of foodstuff to supply all of the people. The Government has no intention of ever taking an ounce of the home-made preserves or of the home-grown products kept in pantry or cellar. Anyone who tells you otherwise is working for the enemy, either intentionally or unintentionally."

MISS THORNTON LISLE WEDS

Miss Thornton Lisle, of Clark county, daughter of Mrs. James D. Lisle, of that county, was united in marriage on Thursday of last week to Mr. Sam Braden, of Winchester. The ceremony was performed in Cincinnati, immediately after which the couple left for a bridal trip to Buffalo, N. Y., and other points. The bride has frequently visited Mrs. J. W. Hedden, Jr., and Miss Mary Beall and has a host of friends here who remember her as an attractive and charming girl, and who will join us in extending heartiest congratulations and best wishes.

—W. S. S.—
Will Incubate Eggs.

I will incubate eggs at 3 cents each and will book orders now. Mrs. Richard Wilson, 35-2t Phone 348 W-1
—W. S. S.—
The Advocate for printing.

BLUE GRASS FARM LANDS

PUBLIC AUCTION

As agent for Mrs. Susan Stiles, I will expose at public outcry, on the premises, 6 1/2 miles from Mt. Sterling, Ky., on the Maysville turnpike, on

MONDAY, MARCH 4, 1918

at the hour of 11 o'clock a. m., two tracts of bluegrass land, with improvements. The farm will first be offered in two tracts and then as a whole.

TRACT NO. 1—Contains about 62 acres, more or less, and has on it a small, 4-room tenant house and little stock barn. There is about 35 acres in bluegrass and meadow, of which 20 acres will grow tobacco, and the balance is in corn stubble, sown to wheat and grass, the wheat sown on the shares, the purchaser receiving one-third in the sack. There is a never failing spring on the place and the outside fencing is good. This farm adjoins the lands of Mrs. Stockdale and the pike running to the John W. Cecil farm.

TRACT NO. 2—Contains about 35 to 40 acres, and has on it a good house of 6 rooms, with good stock barn, cow barn, smokehouse, poultry house, milk cellar, and one of the best orchards in the county. There is about 15 acres of meadow and the balance in meadow and bluegrass, some of which has not been plowed in many years. Practically all this land will grow tobacco. The place is well fenced. This tract is known as the George Stiles home place. Good well and cistern at barn.

The terms of the sale will be one-third cash at time of execution of the deed and possession, and balance in one and two years, with notes secured by lien on the land and bearing 6 per cent. interest. Possession of Tract No. 1 will be given at once, except right reserved to remove the corn, and possession of Tract No. 2 will be given at once except the house and buildings and yard and lot, which will be reserved for thirty days. The title to these lands is A1.

These are excellent propositions and as the lands lay well, and are located on the Broadway of Montgomery county, they should be seen to be appreciated. Will be glad to show the property to prospective purchasers.

W. Hoffman Wood

Wm. Cravens, Auctioneer. Agent for Mrs. Susan Stiles

"BULGER" WELLS

DIES SUDDENLY

Judge A. D. Wells, familiarly known to a host of friends as "Bulger," died very suddenly at the home of Mr. W. W. Eubank, Jr., in this city, last Tuesday night about 10 o'clock. Mr. Wells had not been well for several days and on Monday was removed to the home of Mr. Eubank where he failed to respond to medical treatment. Heart failure was the direct cause of his death. "Bulger" Wells was indeed a friend to man and a bigger hearted, more considerate soul never lived than he. Mr. Wells had only recently bought the hardware store of Mr. W. W. Eubank, Jr., and was to move here with his family this week. He was Deputy U. S. Marshal for several years and as such made an enviable record. He had served one term as Judge of Menefee, his native county, and administered the affairs of that office in a fair and just manner. He was a loyal Democrat and a staunch party worker. Besides his wife, who is a daughter of J. R. Lyons, of this city, he is survived by five children and a number of brothers and sisters, of Menefee county, all of whom have the deepest sympathy of numerous friends in their bereavement. The remains were taken Thursday to Wellington, Menefee county, where the funeral and burial took place.

—W. S. S.—

Prolong the Life

of your shoes by having them repaired at O'Connell's Shoe Laboratory, Maysville St., opposite Lloyd's Cafe. 33-1t

—W. S. S.—

SALES MANAGER

Mr. J. D. Noel, for many years a tobacco buyer in this city, but who has been living in Lexington for some time past, is now sales manager of the Fayette Loose Leaf Tobacco Warehouse No. 2. Many friends here will be pleased to learn of his advancement to this important position.

—W. S. S.—

Residence for Sale.

Having permanently located outside of this city, my residence on Holt Ave., is for sale at a price considerably less than it cost to build. Very modern, 8 rooms, bath, large closets and packing room, cabinet mantels, hardwood floors, equipped with gas, wired for electricity, instantaneous hot water heater, large grounds, outbuildings, bearing fruit trees, property now occupied by Judge Ben R. Turner. Will be sold at once at a bargain.

W. H. Berry.

For Sale by—W. Hoffman Wood 35-3t T. F. Rogers, Jr.

—W. S. S.—

"THE WOMAN LURE"

This picture has been booked by the management of The Tabb Theatre for Wednesday, February 27th. This film is under the management of the same people who had charge of the film, "Guarding Old Glory," and they say it is a greater picture by far than that one.

—W. S. S.—

DANCE MAKES MONEY

The dance given by the Red Cross Society Thursday night was quite a success. After all expenses had been paid there was left a balance of \$125.00.

—W. S. S.—

Lost—Overcoat and pair of heavy shoes left in some store in this city Sunday by aged man. Please notify this office.

—W. S. S.—

LOCAL MEN STRIKE OIL

Two splendid oil wells were struck in Lee county last week in which Messrs. R. A. Chiles, M. C. and J. Will Clay are largely interested. It is estimated one of these wells will produce in the neighborhood of 100 barrels per day while it is thought the other one will be good for about 50 barrels daily. The above named gentlemen have been extremely fortunate with their holdings of late and it appears they are destined to be the local "Oil Kings."

—W. S. S.—

Hupmobiles for Sale—One 1916 and one 1917 model, both in good condition. Commercial Auto Co., Winchester, Ky.



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\$2.20 IS PRICE SET FOR WHEAT BY PRESIDENT

A price of \$2.20 per bushel, the same as for last year's crop, has been set by President Wilson for the 1918 crop. The price is for No. 1 Northern Spring wheat at Chicago, with a scale of differentials for other markets.

The differentials differ to a slight extent from those now operative and range from a minimum to a maximum of \$2.28. In fixing the price now for the new crop, which will not be harvested until June, the President was believed to have two objects in view. The first was to halt legislation pending in Congress to fix prices at from \$2.25 to \$3.00 and the other was to stimulate spring planting. The introduction of the price raising bills had begun to check the flow of wheat to markets and food administration officials feared that mills soon would have to close down. Hoping the legislation would pass, farmers, it is declared have been refusing to sell at the present price of \$2.20. In enacting the food control law Congress put a guaranteed price of \$2.00 on next season's crop and this has been construed as a minimum price. To draw wheat to market the President fixed a price of \$2.20 on last season's yield and it had this effect until price raising bills were introduced. Then the flow began to stop. Food administration officials have declared that if the bills passed the government would be forced to raise present prices to the new levels and that to do so would upset the food administration's flour and bread program.

FOOD CHANGES

Mr. S. S. Pinney, Food Administrator for Montgomery county, advises us that there have been but few changes made during the past week. Flour has advanced 20 cents per hundred but other commodities remain about the same. He has received notice from State Food Administrator Sackett that is necessary for all hotels, boarding houses, restaurants, etc., to take our license as a baker and apply immediately to the License Division of the Food Administration at Washington, D. C., and that the penalty for failure to take out such license under the Presidential proclamation is very severe and should be attended to without delay. Mr. Pinney has the blank forms of application and we would advise that this matter be given attention.

—W. S. S.—

PERRY BAKER WANTS REVENGE ON GERMANS

Perry Baker, whose brother, Roger Baker, was lost on the Tuscania, enlisted in the army last week and demanded that he be sent to Camp Taylor at once to go into training. His explanation was that he wanted to get into action against the Germans at once in revenge for the death of his brother. Young Baker was sent with Montgomery county's quota to Camp Taylor Monday.

RIGGS SULLIVAN SELLS OWINGSVILLE BUSINESS

Mr. Riggs Sullivan, who has successfully conducted a poultry business in Owingsville for the past two years, has sold his business to Mr. Tom Allen and has given possession. Mr. Sullivan has made a decided success of his business in the Bath county capital and it is hoped by his many friends that he may decide to locate in this city, however his plans for the future are undecided.

—W. S. S.—

For Sale and Rent.

Desirable residences.
N. H. Trimble.

BUYS BUSINESS

Mr. John P. Cline has purchased the plastering and cement business from Mr. G. H. Strother and will conduct same in the name of John P. Cline. Mr. Cline has been connected with the business for more than twenty years and is an expert workman. Mr. Cline will give all work entrusted to him most careful attention and being a splendid, deserving man we bespeak for him the patronage of our people.

—W. S. S.—

Don't put off buying your wash suits and waists for boys. After our spring line is broken there will be no duplicates. The Walsh Co.

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Our Spring stock of silks, woolens and cottons are coming in daily and it will pay you to visit our store before they are picked over. Due to early purchases we are enabled to offer you high class merchandise with very little increase in prices. It will pay you to see us.

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PERSONALS

Mr. J. Green Trimble, Jr., has gone to Florida for a month's stay.

Mr. Norman D. Brown, of Georgetown, was a visitor here Monday.

Mr. George Teegarden is visiting relatives and friends in Fayette county.

Mrs. K. N. DeHaven, of Lexington, was a visitor here a few days last week.

Mr. Vibert Sewell, of Camp Taylor, spent the week-end in this city with his sisters.

Mrs. Sue Bright has returned from a visit to friends and relatives at Stanford.

Sergeant Hodge Morris was at home from Camp Taylor several days the past week.

Mrs. John Peggs was in Lexington the past week the guest of relatives and friends.

Mr. Fred Reid, son of Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Reid, of New York, is here visiting relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. James O. Spratt have returned from a visit to relatives in Fayette county.

Mrs. Edith Patten, of Shawhan, Bourbon county, is visiting her daughter, Mrs. A. B. Oldham.

Sergeant Isaac Rogers, of Camp Shelby, Hattiesburg, Miss., spent the week-end with his parents.

Mr. H. P. Reid attended the horse sale at Lexington for a couple of days the past week.

Mrs. Sarah B. Drake left Monday for a visit to her daughter, Mrs. Geo. F. Doyle, at Winchester.

Miss Mary George and Mr. Thos. Farren, of Winchester, were guests last week of Mr. and Mrs. Donald Martin.

Mr. P. H. Johnson has returned to his home at Vona, Colo., after a visit to his half-sister, Mrs. Lida Goodpaster.

Mr. John B. Carter, who has been visiting his daughter, Mrs. E. L. Brockway, has returned to his home at Brookton, Ill.

Mrs. B. W. Trimble left this morning for a three weeks' visit to the family of Rev. M. G. Buckner, at Owensboro, Ky.

Mrs. Fannie Gray and daughter, Miss Viola, who have been visiting relatives in this county, have returned to their home in Lexington.

Mrs. H. B. Kinsolving and daughter, Miss Vitula, have returned to their home in Louisville after a visit to Senator J. Will Clay and family.

Private E. T. Shoemaker, of Camp Taylor, spent the week-end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. Shoemaker. Private Shoemaker believes that by the middle of March he will be in France.

Dr. P. K. McKenna is at Hot Springs, Ark., for a few weeks stay.

Mrs. Anna Cockrell has returned from a visit to relatives in Clark county.

Mrs. A. W. Stofor was in Lexington last week visiting relatives and friends.

Mrs. S. E. Spratt and Mrs. F. W. Bassett were in Lexington shopping last Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. McNeal have gone to Martinsville, Ind., where they will spend several weeks.

Mrs. Russell DeHaven and baby, of Lexington, were guests last week of Miss Frances Samuels.

Mrs. Roy Land and Miss Anna Ryan, of Lexington, visited the family of W. S. Holliday the past week.

Mr. and Mrs. George W. Blevins, who have been spending several weeks in Florida, have returned home.

Messrs. C. K. Oldham and John M. McCormick left yesterday for Cincinnati and Louisville, where they will make extensive purchases for the new firm of Oldham & McCormick.

Col. Webster P. Huntington was called to Columbus, Ohio, a few days ago owing to the serious illness of his father. Mr. Huntington is one of the best known and most prominent bankers in the United States, having been connected with the Huntington National Bank for more than sixty years.

—W. S. S.—

BIRTHS

On Tuesday, February 19th, in this city to the wife of Mr. Chris Leahy, a son—Tommie Guy.

Mr. and Mrs. Tipton H. Wilson are receiving congratulations upon the arrival of a daughter at their home on February 23rd. The little lady has been named for her two grandmothers, Minnie Elizabeth.

On February 18th, at their home in Ajo, Ariz., to the wife of Mr. John Turner, a daughter—Gertrude Ardelle. Mr. Turner is a son of the late Mr. Harlan Turner and formerly lived in this city, where he has many friends and relatives who will be interested in the above announcement.

—W. S. S.—

OFFERED NICE POSITION

Miss Queen Rooney yesterday morning received a telegram from Washington offering her a position as Chief Clerk in the War Department at a salary of \$1,000 to begin with. Miss Rooney recently successfully stood a competitive examination at the local Postoffice and is an exceedingly bright and deserving young lady. She is at present employed by A. Hoffman & Son.

—W. S. S.—

WILL MARRY WEDNESDAY

Mr. Clifton Curtis, aged 20 years, and Miss Lillian McClure, both popular young people of this county, will be married tomorrow, Wednesday, February 27th, at the home of Rev. J. L. West, on West Main street, in this city, Rev. West officiating.

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THE SICK

Tommie Rooney is one of the latest victims of German measles.

Mr. Edward Bogie has been quite ill for the past ten days but is slightly better now.

Mr. G. L. Kirkpatrick, who has not been so well for the past week, is reported somewhat improved.

Miss Grace Jones, who was operated on in Louisville at Norton Infirmary, for tonsillitis last week, is improving nicely.

Miss Flo Shirley, one of the attractive school "mams" at the local High School, is confined to her room with the mumps.

This city and county seem to be infested with German measles and there is not a day passes but several new cases are reported.

Mr. Robert Howell underwent a slight operation at Cincinnati last Wednesday and is getting along nicely and will be able to come home some time the latter part of the week.

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Seven car loads sold last year without a dissatisfied customer.

ALL FRESH MATERIAL—not a single sack carried over.

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OFFICER'S KIND ACT

Sheriff John G. Roberts on Monday started for Frankfort with Dewey Frazier, aged 16 years, who had been convicted of forgery and sentenced at the last term of the Circuit Court to spend two years in the penitentiary. It is customary to transfer boys of this age to the House of Reform, at Lexington, but the transfer usually takes several weeks and sometimes months. Mr. Roberts met Senator George Hon, of Winchester, on the train on his way to Frankfort and after consulting about the matter they decided to appeal direct to the Governor to transfer the boy immediately to the House of Reform. Senators Hon and Tom Combs, of Lexington, secured an audience with the Governor who referred them to the Attorney General and upon his suggestion the Prison Board was called together and Mr. Roberts was given an order to take the boy back to Lexington.

Mr. Roberts said the boy was very much pleased when he found he did not have to go to the penitentiary and promised him that he would behave himself at the Home and would try to come out a good, clean man. This was a very kind act on the part of Mr. Roberts and one that shows has has much of the milk of human kindness in his make up. We also think that Senators Hon and Combs as well as the other officials, who in spite of being very busy, took time to aid this poor, friendless, and unfortunate boy, should be commended.

—W. S. S.—

Don't wait; goods will be even scarcer later. Buy wash suits and waists for your boy.

The Walsh Co.

RELIGIOUS

Union services at Presbyterian church Sunday evening at 7 o'clock. Sermon by Dr. Southgate. A cordial invitation to all.

There will be services at the Episcopal church every Wednesday and Friday afternoons at 3 o'clock during Lent.

—W. S. S.—

A GREAT PICTURE TUESDAY

The first of the Russian Art Films to be seen here is "The Painted Doll," which Manager Small of The Tabb Theatre, announces he will give an unusually elaborate presentation Tuesday, March 5th. This picture, which is in six parts, is adapted from Pushkin's famous poem.

Tanya of the Moscow Art Theatre plays the title role, having been personally selected by Mokukin for the part. In the play she takes the part of Tanya, the pretty wife of a plodding engineer in the employ of the most brilliant man of his profession in all Russia.

"The Painted Doll" is a wonderfully dramatic production, superbly produced. It is safe to say that the picture will make a sensation. It should not only attract those persons who are regular patrons of the motion picture theatres, but the best educated and most critical persons of the community. It has been warmly praised by every critic to whom it has been shown.

—W. S. S.—

ELECTED OFFICERS FOR YEAR

At a meeting of the Young Woman's Missionary Society of the Presbyterian church held last Wednesday, the following officers were elected for the ensuing year: Miss Elizabeth Lockridge, President; Miss Sarah Simrall, Vice President; Mrs. J. F. Reynolds, Secretary; Mrs. Howard VanAntwerp, Treasurer.

—W. S. S.—

WILL MOVE TO COUNTRY

Mrs. Margaret Crail and daughters, Misses Mary and Lillian, who have been residing in the property of Mrs. Lou Barnes on the corner of Main street and Samuels avenue, have given up the place and will move this week to the home of her brother, Mr. Henry L. Greene, in the county. Mrs. Crail is making the move on account of her health.

—W. S. S.—

TO ADDRESS PEOPLE OF CAMARGO AND COMMUNITY

Mr. Otis Kercher, State Leader Boys' Clubs, will speak at Camargo Friday night, March 1st, at meeting of Community Club, in the interests of agriculture. The farm boy and girl especially invited.

—W. S. S.—

Ernest Daugherty, colored, has purchased of Caywood Bros., 17 acres of unimproved land one and one-half miles of Aaron's Run, for \$125 per acre.

—W. S. S.—

Get your boy's wash suits today, line complete, styles beautiful.

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—W. S. S.—

LATEST RIDDLE

Why is any little thunderstorm in Mt. Sterling like 9 p. m. in a military training camp?

Answer—"All lights out."

A PARCEL POST PHARMACY

This is the busy season for the farmer. So, if you need anything in the drug line and do not wish to make a trip to town, just mail or phone your order, and we will send you the goods by first mail. This not only applies to drugs, but to toilet goods, stock and poultry remedies, seeds, paints and in fact all goods carried in our stock. Mail us your prescription and we'll deliver the finished medicine promptly.

BUY BY MAIL

LLOYD'S DRUG STORE
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CANCELED STAMPS HAVE NO USE IN RED CROSS WORK

Don't waste time and energy saving canceled postage stamps for the Red Cross. Somebody, somewhere, has started one of those pleasant but likely-to-be-annoying fictions concerning the value of postage stamps which have served their original purpose. This time the idea spread abroad is that the American Red Cross has devised a method of extracting the dyes from the canceled stamps and putting the dyes to practical use. There is nothing more in the scheme than a figment of someone's imagination; but the Post Office Department reports that several bags of old stamps have accumulated through the good will of persons who have thought they were doing something to help win the war. Within the last two weeks, also, scores of letters have been received at Red Cross headquarters, from persons asking information regarding the matter.

The Red Cross wishes to advertise, as widely as possible, the absolute falsity of the report that used postage stamps have any value through the extraction of the dyes contained in them.

—W. S. S.—

Wash Suits, newest style for your boy, now on sale. The Walsh Co.

—W. S. S.—

"WOMANHOOD" GREAT SHOW

The Tabb Theatre was crowded to capacity Friday night when J. Stuart Blackton's "Womanhood, the Glory of the Nation" was shown. It was a stupendous production along the line of the "Battle Cry of Peace." It was an anti-pacifist story and the lesson it taught was a good one. It is nearly impossible for the mind to conceive the fact that in spite of the ingenuity of the producers of the play the scenes of sorrow and destruction depicted are not half so terrible as is actually taking place on the battle fronts every day in the occupied sections of France, Belgium, Rumania and Serbia. Never was the old adage, "Truth is stronger than fiction," more forcibly brought home to the people of this community than it was in this wonderful production. Manager Small is to be congratulated on securing such a splendid picture for our city.

—W. S. S.—

Beautiful styles in boy's wash suits now ready. The Walsh Co.

—W. S. S.—

SPEAKING POSTPONED

The speaking scheduled for Wednesday night has been postponed. Lieutenant Clarkson, of Canada, will speak in this city at a later date.

—W. S. S.—

For Sale or Rent.

Five-room cottage, gas and water. Miss Sue Evans. 34-1f

PUBLIC

SALE

Thursday

February 28

Two-story Residence, one and one-half acres ground, Barn, Etc.

**Horses, Mules, Hogs
Milch Cows, Corn
and other articles.**

Sale on the premises, Rogers Ave., at 10 o'clock a. m.

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Mt. Sterling, Ky.**

W. Hoffman Wood, Clerk.
WM. CRAVENS, Auctioneer

SIGN THE FOOD PLEDGE

Mr. S. S. Pinney, local food administrator, has appointed a number of men to canvass the county in an effort to get all men who are heads of families to sign the food conservation pledge cards. The committee will deal only with men and it is hoped in this way to secure the signatures of either the husband or wife at the head of every home in Montgomery county.

—W. S. S.—

Wanted at Once.

Residence with garden that rents for not exceeding \$15 per month. Must have possession by March 1. If you have this property please call at Advocate office.

SOMETHING TO THINK ABOUT

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Let us demonstrate.

CHENAULT & OREAR

DO NOT KILL THE HEN THAT LAYS THE GOLDEN EGGS

You can't eat your cake and have it—but you can poach your egg and eat the hen later.

Appreciation of this fact, the poultry specialists of the United States Department of Agriculture say, will add 150,000,000 eggs to our food supply this year without reducing our supply of chicken meat. Investigators have found that because poultry brings 2 cents a pound more in winter than in late spring, many farmers in the South have been throwing away valuable egg profits just to get 8 cents more per hen. They believe that if farmers will keep their laying hens and sell their eggs and then market the birds in the late spring, they will not only add to the food supply, but actually increase their profits 50 cents per hen.

Many a lawyer politician has at last realized his ambition to "serve his country." Those questionnaires have kept them going at a lively clip.

Perhaps Hindenberg was merely springing a premature April Fool's joke when he fixed April 1 as the date he would occupy Paris.

Adding Machine for Sale.

Burroughs, 9 bank, with stand, in good condition. Can be seen in operation at this office, and is offered at a bargain. 31-1f



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The telephone directory is issued at frequent intervals for the information and benefit of the telephone-using public.

Every effort is made to keep this list accurate and up-to-date. It is expected that telephone-users will consult it before making calls. A call for an incorrect number causes delay and possible annoyance to a third party.

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AMERICAN SOLDIERS ARE FEARLESS

Stories from the front by the Associated Press tell of the intrepidity of the Americans in trench raids operations, of their coolness under fire and in returning fire, the accuracy of aim of the gunners and the intense watchfulness at observation posts to see that the enemy obtained no undue advantage in a surprise attack. The only criticism thus far heard regarding the Americans is their desire to be up and at the enemy. Like their brothers of the North—the Canadians—they are hard to hold in restraint. Aside from their daily task of knocking down the German trenches and dugouts with their guns, the latest experience of the Americans and a thrilling one was a night patrol raid, during which the Germans, after the Americans had passed their first line of wire entanglements, heavily charged the wire behind the patrol with electricity. Coolly the Americans lay down until the danger was past and returned to their trenches, nobody being injured.

—W. S. S.—

Japan and America are in full agreement. Foreign Minister Motono, of Japan, is responsible for the interesting announcement. He says the Japanese government had no intention of interfering or taking sides with internal political dissensions in China. This is the milk in the coconut: The Japanese Government will maintain good relations with a stable government in China without regard to party or factions. All the little Jap will do will be for peace and fair play. He will maintain a stable government in China regardless of Chinese political parties or factions. Kaiser Wilhelm says he is maintaining a stable government in Belgium, Northern France, certain Italian provinces, Rumania and Serbia, and this, too, without "regard to party or factions." They all do it.

—W. S. S.—

Nearly 31,000 pounds of butter, hoarded by a Brooklyn dealer since the spring of 1917 in the hope of a raise in price, is to be distributed by the Federal Board to hospitals and charitable institutions at the cost price. "One food hog has been exposed and stripped of his prospective profits. In perilous days such as these a food hog should be handled without gloves. Why should a man expect to make great profits when the very existence of his country is threatened and with the life of Democracy of the whole world over hanging in the balance?"

—W. S. S.—

It was the irony of fate that while Chamberlain, Hitchcock, Wadsworth and other Senators were telling the Senate how poorly prepared our soldiers were, the boys "over there" were sailing into the Germans in true American fashion and winning warm praises from the Allies.

—W. S. S.—

The American flag is at half mast for the brave boys who went down with the Tuscania. But American anger is at white heat and American courage at one hundred per cent. efficiency, and when the day of reckoning comes the full price will be exacted.

—W. S. S.—

Chancellor Von Hertling says that Germany must be thoroughly whipped before she will agree to the terms on which a just and lasting peace can be secured. For once the Chancellor is thoroughly in accord with his foes.

—W. S. S.—

Wanted—To do your Dressmaking, also Hemstitching 20 cents yd.

Mrs. Sue E. Kohlhaas,
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—W. S. S.—

Men who are capable of handling horses are still wanted for the Veterinary Corps. They must be physically fit and not of selective-service age.

—W. S. S.—

The Senator from Wisconsin now has leisure to ponder on the pathos of that old song, "There's a Name that's Never Spoken."



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4 Passenger Coupe, Six cylinder, ..	\$1695
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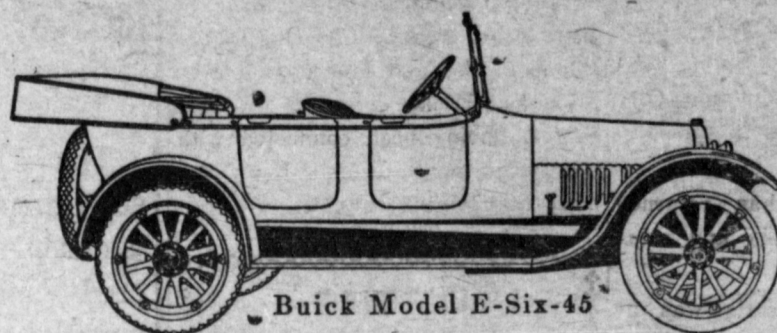
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IF AUTOCRACY WINS—

According to a Chicago official the railroads have been "shamefully treated by the people for years; they have been throttled until they were unable to move." He says there is no shortage of coal available at the mines. On the contrary, there are more mines operating than ever before in the history of the country; that there is but one cause for the coal shortage, and that is the lack of cars and the motive power to haul them.

This is his defy: "You cannot find one single mine in the United States where the miners can work five hours a day regularly and have the cars into which to put their products." Then the American people are robbers and extortioners. They are sand-baggers and garroters. They have robbed the railroads of their legitimate profits and exploited Wall street and all the financial kings and railroad Napoleons for the enrichment of the many, and in order to bring about the impoverishment of the multi-millionaires of America. It appears there is no man-power shortage. It appears there is a coal car shortage.

Well, well, well! Win the war! Then the genius of American statesmanship will solve the railroad problem, the manpower problem and a thousand other problems which are bobbing up today. If Democracy loses the decision, and autocracy wins it, the Kaiser and his field marshals will solve all the problems for the American people. Pass it along.

—W. S. S.—
Do It Now.

Subscribe now for the Saturday Evening Post, The Country Gentleman, and Ladies Home Journal.

Miss Emily Lloyd, Phone 469, 28-1f or call at Lloyd's Cafe.

—W. S. S.—

If there is any consolation in the thought of an iceless summer, we should have that consolation now.

SOAP FOR WOUNDS

Common yellow soap, the kind used by housewives in washing clothes and dishes, has been found to be a wonderful cure for wounds in French hospitals and its use has spread to the British medical stations. A solution is made from a cake and injected into soldiers' wounds, even in the latest instances into the deepest bullet holes, where it has proved itself to be a superior antiseptic to hydrogen peroxide and most other germ killers, and in addition a strangely effective healer of torn tissues.

Wounds treated with soap need fewer dressings and lessen pain far more than do wounds treated with other antiseptics. These facts greatly expedite the work of the surgeons, who can handle more men than when using other solutions.

—W. S. S.—
Cut your egg bills—use Agosave, egg substitute at Vanarsdell's.

GARDENERS WILL

RAISE "AMMUNITION"

She who helps to raise a garden needs to beg nobody's pardon when it comes to counting those who licked the foe. No munition plant has ever yet been born that can make the things which fill up plenty's horn, such as cabbage and tomatoes, beans and turnips and the good old-fashioned roasting ear of corn. Women folks must see that every vacant lot is converted to a fruitful garden spot. Put the backyards in commission and they'll give us ammunition worth its weight in powder, shells and shot.

—W. S. S.—
The hog is the most patriotic citizen among us. No matter how much or how little he is worth, he keeps right on rooting for us.

—W. S. S.—
The Tuscania carried down with it more than its own weight in American pacifism.



A new DISC BOWL that skims cleaner and washes easier than any ever made before.

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The same famous smooth, clean one piece frame. The same famous U. S. oil splash. The same lasting easy running gears, handy supply can and quick catching clutch. Can have pulley one side and crank opposite side.

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STAMP OUT POLITICS

The assertion of Senator Stone that the Republican members of Congress are lining up against the Administration, is untimely and unwise. Even if true—which few people believe—it would be most unwise on the part of the Administration to take note of it. President Wilson and his Cabinet have been entrusted, under the constitution, with the conduct of the war, and the great mass of the American people are satisfied with the progress they are making. That there have been mistakes made, none will deny. But these mistakes have not been of such nature as to alienate the support of Republican members.

Naturally, the elections of the coming summer and fall call for organization of all parties, and this is going on, the Democrats as well as all others. This can be done, however, without in any measure taking from the loyal support of the war program. We believe it will be so done.

Senator Stone should remember that his own loyalty is of the forced brand. At the head of the

Senate Committee on Foreign Affairs, he opposed the United States entering the war, up to the very last, and only after the die was cast did he pledge his support to the Administration. He predicted all manner of calamities for the country, and there will not be wanting those who would accuse him of cherishing a desire to come back with an "I told you so."

The Senator is practically alone in his fears for the country. The other party leaders seem satisfied with the splendid support accorded the President's war policy by his political opponents, and which support they have every reason to believe will be continued.

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The Quickest and Most Effective Remedy for
**Coughs, Colds, Croup,
Sprains, Bruises, Chaps,
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PETRO-MENTA is an absorbent and inhalant, and when applied externally produces marked effects. It gives immediate relief. **PRICE 25c**
For Sale by W. S. Lloyd

DO YOUR SPRING SEWING NOW WHY WAIT UNTIL LATER

When the cold winds are blowing and the ground is covered with snow and you dare not venture forth, then is the time to do your spring sewing, because when the days begin to lengthen and the sun begins to warm the air you are not going to stay indoors. Think of what we have said and bear in mind this; I can always find a complete stock of cottons, nainsooks and long cloths at

J. D. HAZELRIGG & SON
Mt. Sterling's Largest Dry Goods Store

A FAMILY'S WAR RECORD

Leutenant Robert E. Lee, of the United States Army, is somewhere in France fighting for the imperiled democracy of Europe. He is the grandson of the immortal Lee, who was commander-in-chief of all the armies of the Confederacy during the war between the States. There were Lees in the Colonial wars. There were Lees in the war of the American Revolution. There were Lees in the wars of 1812 and 1815. There were Lees in the Indian wars. There were Lees in the Mexican wars. There were Lees (including the immortal Robert E.) in the war when the Stars and Bars went down.

Again, there were Lees in the Spanish-American war, and now a grandson of the great commander of the Confederacy is fighting for Old Glory on the French firing front. He is helping to pay the debt that the Lees owe to France, for there were Lees who fought side by side with Lafayette and De Rochambeau in the glorious wars for the liberty and independence of the American colonies. A family, like history, repeats itself. It surely does in this case.

—W. S. S.—
Crusto sold in bulk is cheaper than hard substitute sold in package at Vanarsdell's.

SEED CORN SITUATION IN KENTUCKY IS SERIOUS

Tests have shown that a large part of the corn will not germinate. Every farmer should at once test his corn for germination and save all that shows good germination, regardless of size and shape of ear. The corn should be stored in the ear in a dry place and warm if possible.

There will be a big demand for seed corn both in and out of the State.

Send to the Extension Division, College of Agriculture, Lexington, Ky., for directions for testing. If you have seed corn for sale, send your name and the amount for sale.

—W. S. S.—
Farm for Sale.

Seventy-five acres, 4 miles south of Mt. Sterling on good turnpike. Has on it a 6-room bungalow, tobacco barn and other outbuildings. There is about 40 acres in bluegrass and balance in good state of cultivation. Can be bought worth the money. Will be glad to show the place to prospective purchasers. Apply at this Office.

—W. S. S.—
Thomas Jefferson, the founder of the Democratic party and the apostle of American Democracy, was of Welsh origin. David Lloyd George, the champion and apostle of British Democracy, is of Welsh parentage. Little Wales gave to the English-speaking world two incomparable exponents of Democracy as well as immortal champions of the inalienable rights of man.

HANDS, ARMS, LIMBS ASLEEP

And Was Run-Down, Weak and Nervous, Says Florida Lady.
Five Bottles of Cardui Made Her Well.

Kathleen, Fla.—Mrs. Dallas Prime, of this place, says: "After the birth of my last child...I got very much run-down and weakened, so much that I could hardly do anything at all. I was so awfully nervous that I could scarcely endure the least noise. My condition was getting worse all the time..."

I knew I must have some relief or I would soon be in the bed and in a serious condition for I felt so badly and was so nervous and weak I could hardly live. My husband asked Dr. Cardui. It's a good medicine, and good for that trouble! so he got me 5 bottles. After about the second bottle I felt greatly improved. Before taking it my limbs and hands and arms would go to sleep. After taking it, however, this poor circulation disappeared. My strength came back to me and I was soon on the road to health. After the use of about 5 bottles, I could do all my house-work and attend to my six children besides."

You can feel safe in giving Cardui a thorough trial for your troubles. It contains no harmful or habit-forming drugs, but is composed of mild, vegetable, medicinal ingredients with no bad after-effects. Thousands of women have voluntarily written, telling of the good Cardui has done them. It should help you, too. Try it. E 74

COST OF THE WAR

More than three years ago an eminent American banker made the prediction that the nation with the longest purse would win the war. Secretary McAdoo has announced that the sum of \$10,000,000,000 will be needed for war and domestic expenses between now and June 30. It is conceded that this is a staggering amount. But Americans have the money and Americans will buy the bonds. Not less than \$3,000,000,000 of this sum will be raised by taxes and the wealth of Americans, the wage-earners of America, the industries of America must pay.

Lest we forget, a considerable sum of this \$10,000,000,000 will be allotted to the allied governments and spent in the United States for munitions and other war supplies. War is a costly business proposition, but the world war must be won or the United States will ever be at the mercy of the most gigantic military machinery that has existed since time began. The war must be won or Democracy perish.

—W. S. S.—
SMALL TOWNS BEST PURCHASERS OF SMILAGE BOOKS

Results of the Smilage campaign, which put books of admission coupons on sale in nearly every town and city in the country, show the small towns and villages far ahead of the cities in overselling their proportionate quotas of books. Pilot Rock, Oreg., was the first town in the country to send in a check. Laurens, Iowa, a town of 900 population, took in \$100 before the first Smilage book was received. Titonka, Iowa, with 200 population bought \$63 worth of books, the largest sale in proportion to population yet returned.

The coupons in Smilage books are exchanged by the soldiers for admission to entertainments in theaters—built in the camps by the Commission on Training Camp Activities. Admission charges range from 10 cents to 25 cents, or from two to five Smilage coupons.

—W. S. S.—
For Sale Quick.

I offer for sale my 1918 Model Buick touring car. This car has been run but a little while and is in A. No. 1 condition.

Thomas C. Cravens,
33-34 R. D. 3, Mt. Sterling, Ky.

—W. S. S.—
Meatless days in England will be two each week and the supplies of cafes and hotels are to be reduced, while butchers will be allowed only 50 per cent. of what they had in October. Meat for breakfast will be barred, and patrons of restaurants will have to do with less butter, margarine, milk and sugar. There is a world food shortage coming. Why not prepare in advance for the emergency? Why wait until the world is face to face with a food famine?

—W. S. S.—
Herr Venustiano Von Carranza has sent a congratulatory telegram to the Kaiser on the occasion of the latter's birthday. When this country finishes with the master it will have leisure to attend to the man. That little German colony misnamed Mexico has its still coming to it.

—W. S. S.—
Henry Ford is reported to have designed a machine for use against the U-boat. Some time ago he designed a machine that has overcome almost everything else but a U-boat, and why not that?

Two days of no pork or wheat. In other words, two porkless days and two wheatless days each week. Conserve the food and lick the Kaiser. A corn bread and fish diet carries with it little sacrifice.

To meet the shortage of small silver change in Norway a large issue of 1-crown notes (at normal exchange the Norwegian crown is worth 26.8 cents United States currency) has been put in circulation.

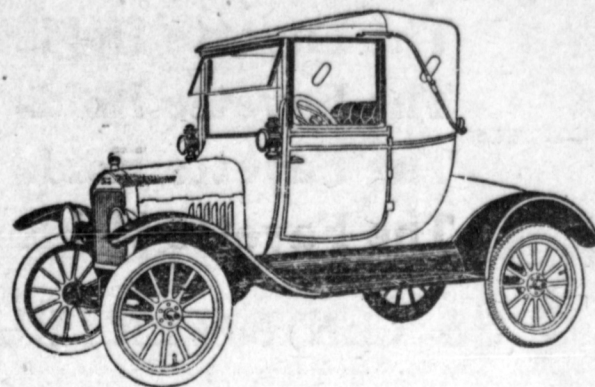
—W. S. S.—
The Bolsheviks are said to demand the disassociation of the church from the state in Russia. 'Twould be dividing the number 1 if the church is as small as the state seems to be over there.

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THE BLOOD CALL

There is no finer sight in this old world than perfect blood loyalty—families bound by the ties of blood, cemented into one compact band to promote and defend the interests of the whole.

The hour has struck when this call is ringing clear and loud above all others in the ears of the American people. Every city, every town, every hamlet and every community in the land has given of its best beloved blood to swell the expeditionary forces on the battle fields of France. These men have gone to fight OUR battles. They have offered their all in OUR service. The blood tie holds them firmly to the task which they are dedicated to. We have the word of the commanders that their sacrifice is complete—that the blood loyalty is perfect.

But is theirs to be the only demonstration of the power of blood loyalty? What man worthy the name, if he has a friend fighting his battles, will not back him up and support him to the limit of his power? Is the sacrifice to be out of all proportion to the gratitude of the beneficiary?

These thousand, these hundreds of thousands, who have gone, are going, and who are yet to go—flesh of our flesh and blood of our blood—are appealing to us through every affection of the human heart for SUPPORT, for SUSTENANCE, for CO-OPERATION, for POWER. These WE must furnish or their sacrifice will have been in vain.

But we Americans need to be told that the very essence of blood loyalty is SACRIFICE. Not only a professed willingness to sacrifice "if necessary," but real sacrifice—the total subordinating of our interests to theirs.

Coming down to grim realities, the success or failure of our sons "over yonder" will depend on whether or not we at home will sacrifice to the tune of twenty billions of dollars yearly. There is

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absolutely no other way. This is the amount that Congress has allotted to the task, and it must ALL come from the people, and that over and above their own necessary expenditures. Armies are not fed and clothed and armed and equipped with ammunition simply by proclamation or by "appropriations." These can only authorize the necessary expenditures, the concrete supplies must come from OUR labors and OUR savings and OUR sacrifices.

Mothers, fathers, sisters, brothers, friends of our soldier boys, are we heeding the blood call? Are we not only "willing," but DO we respond with every throb of our hearts' blood to every call? Or are we by our lethargy and indifference and selfishness manufacturing German bullets for their breasts—for, get it right, that is the inevitable result if we fail in our response to the call.

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Howard's Mill.

Jas. McWain moves from Jas. Scobee's to Staton property in this city; Jas. Kelso goes to Jas. Scobee's place; Howard Stevenson to Jas. Thompson place; John Lee to Thomas Perry place; and a Mr. Frodge, of Stoops, in the house vacated by J. A. Lee on Tom and Frank Perry place and Howard's Mill people are glad to welcome Tuck Mansfield at Pumping Station.

Pictorial Review Patterns

Spring's Loveliest Blouses Are Here

A charming array of the newest styles is now on display in the Blouse Shop.

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It will soon be moving day and there will be several changes made in the Mill and surrounding county.

Mrs. Wm. Thompson is preparing to build in our city.

Howard Stevenson bought a mule Courtyard for \$150.00, and a horse from Jackson Traylor for \$110.00.

Omer Staton bought one mare at Lewis sale for \$100.00.

Wm. Stevenson and wife, of Winchester, paid our city a visit one day last week.

Most everybody is done stripping tobacco in this section but can't deliver it.

Mrs. Mary J. Pierce is on the sick list.

Mrs. Hannah Mallory, the writer's mother, is very poorly at this writing.

Born, February 16th, to Marcus Stevenson and wife, a big girl.

J. A. Lee and daughter, Lucy Warner, spent several days in Winchester last week.

Many of Mrs. Sue Gass' friends of this place, where she was so well known, were grieved to learn of her death last Saturday, February 16th. She died at her home near Paris pike, this county. The funeral services were held at Union church, conducted by Rev. Darsie, of Mt. Sterling, Sunday evening at 2 p. m. The body was laid to rest in Union burial ground. Mrs. Gass was the daughter of Andy Webster. Deceased had been in bad health for some time with cancer of the stomach. She leaves two sons and two daughters to mourn her loss, Henry and Alice at home at the time of her death; Ed. Shultz, of Virginia, and Mrs. Copher, of Olympia. She leaves three sisters and two brothers, Mrs. Wm. Johnson, of this place; Mrs. Mart Donaldson, of the county; Mrs. Bud Smith, and Tom Webster, of Oklahoma; Wm. Webster, of this county. The entire family have our sympathy.

Hark! beyond the world's dark shadow Out of Heaven the angels came And the sun poured in the windows Like a shaft of yellow flame; Oh! I see the face of Jesus; "Come," he whispers, oh, so low; One swift prayer was her answer, "Yes, dear Saviour, I will go."

Stoops.

Some farmers have begun plowing sod.

The wheat crop has made wonderful improvement the past few

days.

Andrew Webb bought a cow and calf from Henry Frodge for \$90.00.

The "song of the hen" these days is a good indication that the high cost of living is bound to be reduced.

The little daughter of J. D. Crouch and wife is very ill with typhoid fever.

Robt. E. Tipton and family are moving this week to Fayette county. The families of Jason Stivers, J. W. Collier and Luther Ginter, are moving onto Mr. Tipton's farm. We are sorry to lose all these good people.

Harold Gregory, of Bourbon county, visited the family of Thos. Warner, from Thursday till Saturday.

The condition of Mrs. Earl Reid remains serious.

The best bill we have noticed among 300 or 400 introduced in the Legislature so far, is the one that provides for the convening of the Legislature every six years.

Blaine Filson, of Fleming county, was a visitor here last week.

Joseph Sorrell, of Weston, Mo., visited friends here last week.

Mrs. Fannie Gillaspie has gone to visit relatives at Frankfort.

Ed. Toy, wife and little son, Edward, Jr., have returned from a visit to the family of John C. Trimble, in Jessamine county.

Thos. W. Fassett will go this week to Kansas City, Mo., where he expects to spend several months.

The editorial in last week's Sentinel-Democrat, entitled, "What of Roger Baker?" we think, is a timely one, and should be given serious consideration by every citizen of Montgomery county. Roger Baker is Montgomery county's first sacrifice at the altar of war. True, he did not reach the scene of battle, but the Sentinel-Democrat aptly says, "He did what no man can surpass, he died in the attempt." The question is: will Montgomery county pass the incident by lightly, or will they honor the memory of a loyal son?

Kiddville.

G. M. Conlee and two children, Bernard and Louise, of Rosslyn, spent Sunday with relatives here.

Miss Pearl Pieratt spent the week in Mt. Sterling with her cousins, Misses Nancy and Eliza Lock-

hart.

Mr. and Mrs. Tilford Bowen and daughter attended church at Kiddville Sunday and spent the day with Mrs. J. W. Conlee.

Misses Amanda and Katherine Everman visited home folks last week. They have been attending Clark County High School.

Mr. and Mrs. Emerson D. Conlee visited the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. Bowman, at Clay City, Friday and Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Marion Hadden visited Winchester Monday. Mr. Hadden will visit Lexington also before returning home.

Mr. John Swope is delivering his tobacco this week in Mt. Sterling.

Mrs. W. R. Catron visited friends and relatives at Bowen last week.

SELLS NICE FARM

W. Homan Wood today sold the H. C. Ellington farm of 95.6 acres lying on the Winchester pike to W. W. Clark, of Bath county, at a price around \$200.00 per acre. Mr. Clark will move here to live.

W. S. S.

The Advocate for printing.

THE TOBACCO SALES

The tobacco sales started at the Whitehall Loose Leaf Warehouse Monday and finished up this morning a total of 137,025 pounds sold for an average of \$27.87.

The sale was started at the Robertson house this morning and 19,075 pounds sold for an average of \$31.26. After the sale was finished at the Robertson House the sales were then started at the Farmers House but at the time of our going to press it was impossible to get the total amount sold as the sale was still in progress. The market seems to be much stronger than it has ever been.

W. S. S.

SELLS THREE BUICKS

The Mt. Sterling Garage last week sold three more of those popular Buicks. Mr. L. D. Gatewood bought a six-cylinder touring car, Mr. Austin Ratliff a four-cylinder touring car, and Mrs. Mary Ratliff, of Sharpsburg, a six-cylinder roadster.

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2 Iron Beds, Springs and Mattresses and Cot	Kitchen Safe and Cupboard
Dining Room Chairs	Pictures
Dining Table	Heavy Oak Kitchen Table
Sideboard (Walnut)	Oak Stand
2 Couches	Fine Canna and Dahlia Bulbs and other flowers
Rockers and Other Chairs	2 Coal Vases
Hat Rack	Dumb Waiter, good as new
Wire Flower Stand	Cooking Utensils and other household articles too numerous to mention
Iron Flower Vase and Iron Bench	
Stove and Radiator	

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